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## INITIAL CONCERT OF ORCHESTRA SEASON TO BE GIVEN SUNDAY

The first of the series of summer Sunday concerts to be given this season by the Medina Community Orchestra will be presented next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 4:30 o'clock, on the east side of the public square.

A special platform has been provided for the orchestra and soloists. The continuation of these concerts depends upon the appreciation by the public and, in the cause of good music, it is to be hoped that a large audience will greet the local artists.

A splendid opening program has been selected. In addition to the orchestra proper, Miss Schaefer, soprano soloist, and the high school girls' chorus will participate.

The program follows:

March, "Sabre & Spurs", Sousa.  
Overture "Fair Maid of Perth", Widdell.  
Narcissus, Nevin.  
Swing Song, Lohr.  
Girls' Chorus.  
Love Suite, Lake.  
Roses of Picardy, Wood.  
Song—Wedding of the Winds, Hall.  
"Just a Tiny Ray of Sunshine", Polk.  
Miss Schaefer & Girls' Chorus.  
When the Lights Are Low, Engleman.

Kuyainats, A Polish Dance.  
Let the Rest of the World Go By.

The Star Spangled Banner.

The program will be changed each Sunday and will consist wholly of sacred, classical and patriotic music. John Beck, director, announces a change of soloists each Sunday. An offering will be taken at each concert in order to defray the expenses. Medina's possession of so much musical and vocal talent enables us to have the very best and we should be grateful.

## RUNAWAY HORSES SMASH AUTOMOBILE

Jerking loose from a post to which they had been hitched in the alley back of the Zeigler store Monday morning a fine team attached to a hay wagon belonging to Max Koehler, a farmer living out in the Center Road, ran away, going up Court street at a furious pace. As they swung east on Liberty street, they ran into the big Chambers car of E. T. Spitzer which was nosed in against the curb in front of the Savings Deposit bank. They hit the car with a tremendous crash, turning it over on its side. One of the horses became entangled in the car and was unable to rise until the machine had been righted by bystanders. No serious hurts resulted to the team but the car suffered several injuries. The top was wrecked, the windshield smashed and the radiator badly bent in. An overhauling will be necessary to determine the extent of the damage. As the team dashed up Court street the bridge of one horse was seized by Ford Cannon who attempted to stop the runaways. The bridge broke which probably saved Cannon from injury, as the horses are of the heavy draft type.

Mr. Koehler says he tied the horses to a post but one is of a nervous disposition and it is thought that it jerked loose and frightened the other. He will settle for the damage to the car.

## HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT GRATIFYING

The county health officer's report for May has been completed by Dr. R. A. Brintnall and shows some interesting figures. There is a total of 46 contagious diseases in the county for that month. This does not include the cases, included in the April report or those that have developed or been located since June 1.

Measles predominates, there being 22 cases under observation. In addition, there is one case of German measles. One case of tuberculosis is reported for the month.

Diphtheria, smallpox and scarlet fever have four cases each and there are two cases of chickenpox and one of mumps. Seven cases of syphilis have been found.

The June report, thinks Dr. Brintnall, will show even a smaller number of cases. According to the health officer, June is generally a healthful month. At this season of the year, the tone of the body is much higher, due to the lack of decaying vegetation and the absence of climatic changes. The more even temperature and the diet occasioned by the season's offerings, partially immunize the body against the reception of disease.

## TO OBSERVE FLAG DAY

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. will observe Flag Day June 14 with a picnic dinner in the dining room of the L. O. O. F. hall.

All old soldiers and their families are cordially invited.

## LIVING COST INCREASE IS LOWEST IN UNITED STATES

The Bankers' Trust Company of New York has received from its London correspondent a detailed analysis of the cost of living in various countries as prepared by the British Board of Trade. The percentage of increase in the cost of food, fuel, clothing, etc., is much greater in Europe than America. The following comparison was given:

	Per Cent.
United Kingdom.....	130
France:	
Paris.....	197
Other Towns.....	220
Italy:	
Rome.....	198
Milan.....	282
United States.....	96
Denmark.....	296
Belgium.....	142
Norway.....	201
Sweden.....	159
Germany.....	356

The date from which the rise is computed is 1914, except in Germany, where it is 1910.

## BODY MANGLED BY BIG CIRCULAR SAW

Mrs. J. I. Schaefer, wife of a prominent farmer living in Montville township was seriously injured about four o'clock Monday afternoon when her dress became entangled in a buzz saw, about thirty inches in diameter.

The flesh was cut and slashed from her legs and parts of her body were horribly mangled. She is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Schaefer was assisting her husband, who was fixing the saw preparatory to cutting some wood. He had just tightened the belt on the saw which is gasoline driven and turned away. Mrs. Schaefer, in stooping over, drew too near the saw the teeth of which caught in her dress and jerked her toward it. The bouncing of her body against the rapidly-whirling saw provided opportunity for several horrible mutilations. Mr. Schaefer stopped the engine as soon as possible and the injured woman was carried to the house where she was later given medical attention.

Her parents had just left on a trip. A wire was sent and they will doubtless return this week.

## DIED OF HEART TROUBLE

Mrs. S. H. Albertson, of Remsons Corners, died Monday of rheumatism of the heart after a long illness. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday burial following at Fairview cemetery. Rev. Searles conducted the services. She was 47 years old.

## COMMISSIONERS HOLD THREE DAY SESSION

The county commissioners held their regular quarterly three-day term this week, for the purpose of passing on sheep claims.

The board of revision, composed of Commissioner Scanlan, Auditor Washburn and Treasurer Moyer are busy revising the tax statements. They report quite an increase in valuations as a result of their review of the returns. This work will keep them busy for about ten more days.

## KING'S DAUGHTERS WILL CONVEY AT WELLINGTON

The annual Group Convention of King's Daughters will be held at Wellington, Thursday, June 17 with forenoon and afternoon sessions. Twenty local King's Daughters are to attend making the trip by automobile. Mrs. Norman Clark, president of the Medina county circles, will appear upon the program with the subject "Rites—and how to avoid them."

## COOPERATION AMONG COMMUNITIES GAINS SUCCESS, SAYS COUNTY AGENT SALISBURY

Much has been said in this county since farm bureau work started two years ago about cooperative effort among the people of a community as a means of obtaining things unobtainable to individuals. It has remained for the townships in the north part of Medina County to put this into practice and now they are beginning to see the results of the effort, says County Agent Salisbury.

For over a year the farm bureau men in Liverpool township have been meeting regularly and have been attempting to do some of the things that need the solid backing of the entire farming community. One of the important steps was the securing of the means of weighing materials purchased in carlots and distributed to farmers in small quantities. This called for a wagon scale owned by the farmers and located at the shipping station. The matter was handled thru a com-

## MAYOR WILL MISS RIDE IN AIRPLANE

Mayor H. H. Hartzog has been invited to attend the inter-city airplane races and demonstrations to be held in Cleveland, July 2 to 7, inclusive. The committee states that if a suitable landing field exists here, an aviator will come after the mayor and take him to Cleveland for the show. It is believed that Mayor Hartzog is well content that no landing field is at this point.

The purpose of the air show is to convince the public that civilian aviation is safe, though expert air pilots will include sensational stunts. Mayors Day will be July 3 at which time Mayor Hartzog will have the opportunity of making a flight.

## OVER FIVE HUNDRED AT SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

The Medina county Sunday School Convention held at Wadsworth last week had a total registration of 569. Of the 55 schools in the association, 41 were represented. Attendance by townships was as follows:

Brunswick 6; Chatham 6; Granger 52; Guilford 29; Harrisville 26; Homer 13; Lafayette 55; Lichfield 11; Medina 102; Montville 7; Sharon 55; Spencer 7; Westfield 39; Wadsworth 150; York 4.

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## CRIMINAL CHARGE AGAINST LODI MAN

Charles Frazier, 54 years old, employed at Wandell's restaurant at Lodi was arrested this week charged with contributing to delinquency. Complaint has been made that two little girls, one aged 7 and the other 10 years, were subjected to indignities by Frazier who is now in the county jail in this city.

## BUNSWICK CADET IS PERFECT SOLDIER

Clarence Rhode of Brunswick, a freshman at the Ohio State University at Columbus, has been signally honored by a regular army officer who recently reviewed the cadets.

The Brunswick boy was proclaimed a splendid type of soldier and was recommended as a standard for emulation by the officer. Cadet Rhode acted as the orderly of the Colonel inspecting the cadets for the entire day.

Commenting upon the action of the army officer, the Columbus Citizen of Columbus, has this to say editorially:

"Step one pace forward!" sharply ordered the regular army officer, in a gruff voice, addressing a fine-looking, up-standing young student in khaki who stood at attention in the front rank of the cadet regiment at Ohio State University, while it was being put through a severe federal inspection test. The young man, in fear and trembling, expecting fully to be called for something amiss from a military standpoint in his attire or deportment, obeyed with alacrity. But it was no reprimand he was to receive. Instead of this he was being singled out for a rare compliment. The army officer, surveying him intently from head to foot, and speaking loudly, declared the young man to be a splendid type of what a real soldier should be, and he commended him to the regiment as an example to be emulated.

## ALUMNI TO BANQUET AT LAKE THIS MONTH

The annual reunion and banquet of the Medina High School Alumni Association will be held Friday afternoon and evening, June 18, at the Community Hotel at Chippewa Lake Park. The reunion is scheduled for 3:30 in the afternoon, the banquet to begin at 6:30 in the evening.

The class of 1876 was composed of but four members—Bertie Bernard, Herbert Clark, Sarah Washburn Pritchard and Bessie Johnson Zimmerman. The two former are no longer alive. The class of 77 consisted of but one member Jay Sargent.

## PROMISES BIG TIME AT LAKE JULY FIFTH

The American Legion is shaping things up for the monster celebration which will be held July 5 at Chippewa Lake Park. The various committees have been in session this week and many good things are promised for that day.

The entertainment committee announce that, in addition to the many athletic numbers there will be some good boxing bouts. Nick Moore, 135 pounds, will go three rounds against a Cleveland boy and Andy Anderson another good Medina hitter, will be matched against Carl Bricker of Chatham. The field sports will be arranged as follows:

One-half mile run—First prize \$10 second prize \$7; third prize \$3.  
100-yard dash—\$4, \$3 and \$2.  
200-yard dash—\$4, \$3 and \$2. Ex-service men only.  
200-yard dash—\$4, \$2 and \$1. Free for all.  
Long distance swim—\$10, \$7 and \$3.

Fifty-yard swim for ladies—\$3, \$2 and \$1.  
Boat Race—\$3, \$2 and \$1.  
Three Base Ball Games  
Tug-of-war between Posts—\$5 Limited to nine men on each team.

Boxing contests—1 for 6 rounds; 2 4-round bouts.

Standing jump—\$3, \$2 and \$1.  
Broad jump—\$3, \$2 and \$1.

All manner of games, excellent music, numerous concessions, dancing singing, speaking and a general good time is promised.

## COUNTY QUOTA FOR S. A. NOT SECURED

Results of the county-wide Salvation Army drive held last week have not yet been determined, according to W. C. Smith, treasurer for the drive. He says that \$109 was gathered in here last Friday but we are still \$141 shy of our quota. The various villages of the county had an allotment of \$250 each, the townships, \$125 each. The total county quota was \$3000. It is very probable that the full quota will have been made when all reports from various chairmen are received. Joe Seymour was head of the county drive.

## THREE HURT IN INTERURBAN WRECK

Hyde Weaver of Seville, an employee of the Cleveland Southwestern sustained a badly crushed leg and other injuries and two other employees whose names could not be learned experienced lesser hurts when a north bound milk train and a south bound work train met in collision at Strookner Curve, three mile north of Medina, about 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

A dangerous double curve exists at this point and the two trains were moving rapidly. As they came together, Weaver, who was conductor of the milk train, was jammed between the milk cans, crushing the bones in his left leg. The motorman, Fairchild, leaped from the car just before the trains met. Bill Holtz, a member of the work train crew also jumped to safety. About 8 men were on the work train and 3 on the milk train. Two of the section men, of Berea, were taken to the hospital at Cleveland with Weaver after the trio had been given emergency treatment by physicians of this city who were rushed to the scene. The cars were badly damaged but traffic was not delayed.

## MORE BOOZE SEIZED

August Sanich of Wadsworth was fined \$200 and costs for having five gallons of raisin jack in his possession which the officers seized as he was about to dispose of it, it is alleged, to John Muich, a restaurant keeper at that place. The jack was valued at \$100.

## GRADUATING CLASS MEDINA HIGH SCHOOL NUMBERS FIFTY-FOUR

### OVER BILLION DOLLARS PAID TO SERVICE MEN

Up to May the Bureau of War Risk Insurance settled a total of 127,151 insurance claims, representing a total value of \$1,131,552, 173.45. At the time of this compilation, only 5,119 claims were pending, and in most of these cases the beneficiaries reside in foreign countries where disturbed conditions render communication impossible.

Up to the same time, the number of applications for conversion of War Risk Insurance into Government Life policies numbered 133, 242, for amounts aggregating more than \$400,000,000.

Regardless of how long a service man's insurance has lapsed or been cancelled, and regardless of how long he may have been out of the service, a special ruling permits reinstatement at any time up to July 1, this year.

## WILL SPEAK ABOUT SALVATION ARMY

A very interesting talk was given to the Kiwanis Club at St. Paul's parish house last Friday by Corporal Mabelle Musser, late of the U. S. Marine Reserve Corps. Miss Musser is a Medina county girl whose talk was most entertaining, being a narrative of many good things that occurred in the service.

The attendance prize last week, a novelty smoking set, was given by Dawson and Leland Longacre and passed into the keeping of Frank Sedgwick.

This week the luncheon will be held at the Church of Christ and the Seymour and John R. Moore. These gentlemen will tell of the work of the speakers will be M. G. Kellett, Joe Salvation Army and ask for Kiwanis interest.

N. O. Fuller will present the attendance prize.

## LEGION BUYS CAR FOR COUNTY NURSE

The local post of the American Legion, through its financial committee, is raising funds for the purchase of a Ford Coupe, valued at \$935, which shall be at the service of Miss Constance Hanna, the county Red Cross nurse. Miss Hanna will use the car in making her trips about the county attending at the homes where contagious diseases exist.

This is a splendid move on the part of the Legion boys—an act that evidences their continued willingness to be identified largely with community development as well as having been such strong factors in making the world safe for democracy.

It is believed that the county will take over this car and maintain it in the regular health department, reimbursing the boys for the unselfish outlay.

## ELEVATOR MEETING

A meeting in the interest of the co-operative elevator movement was held Thursday evening of this week at Brunswick. T. D. Phillips of the State Bureau of Markets, outlined the steps necessary in the proper organizing of the co-operative elevator. A large crowd was present.

A similar meeting was held at Litchfield Wednesday night.

Forty-one of the fairer sex and thirteen of the sterner classification for June 1920 to the future country. Saviors class or negotiators of the figurative Alps will assemble at the Congregational church Thursday evening of next week to receive their diplomas and harken to the commencement address by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Vernon H. Riegel. Last year, fifty-two were in the class and seven others were Normal graduates. The program for the commencement exercises follows:

March.  
Invocation, Rev. Russell K. Caulk.  
Music, Quartette.  
Introduction of Class, Supt. W. E. Conkle.

President's address, L. Merle Piano solo, Ruth Eloise Abbott. Class prophecy, Lucile E. Offineer. Yvonne Agnes McNeal, Carl J. Anderson, Louis H. Bohley, Caroline M. Wilson, Alice E. Miksch, Frank J. Bennett, Charles Warren.

Vocal solo, Regina C. Bartunek. Class poem, Blanche Kane. Valedictory, Doris L. Worden. Class address, Vernon H. Riegel. State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Columbus, Ohio.

Presentation of diplomas.  
Benediction, Rev. W. H. Bryenton. Class Motto—"Service."  
Class Colors—Maroon and White.  
Class Flower—American Beauty Rose.

The Junior-Senior banquet was held Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows Hall.

A list of the graduates twenty-three of whom, are in the January class, are here given:

January Class—Florence Welker, Regina C. Bartunek, Osa E. Shaw, Harold Edward Standen, Lucile E. Offineer, Helen Virginia Whipple, Wayland A. Hyde, Yvonne Agnes McNeal, Edith Merle Crofoot, Carl James Anderson, John R. Lea, Nellie Lowe, Marcella, Fretz, Evelyn Graham, Harold J. Worden, Doris Louise Worden, Mary Caroline Blacklee, Ralph R. Boyden, Florence B. Campbell, Mary Alice Clark, Louie H. Bohley, Ruth Eloise Abbott, Katherine Elizabeth Rowe.

June Class—Theodore W. Rothacker, Carter I. Bennett, Florence Lucile Garver, Novella Hanshue, Rose Armbruster, Mary A. Bailey, Caroline Mildred Wilson, MMartha Estella Angeline Ecker, Charlotte Estella McFadden, Edyth Mildred Smith, Iona Lenore Lance, Marion Viola Eastwood, Alice Esther Miksch, L. Merle Hostetter, Dora Presley, William Bowman, Dorothy Clapp, Bernice LaVonne Rodgers, Avadeen Louise Kerr, Helen Frances Burnham, Edna M. Thomas, Celia E. Watters, Bertha Heiss, Lois Lucille Hull, Lillian Kane, Blanche Kane, Leone Kindig, Gertrude C. Hood, Millard Warren, Charles Warren, Frank J. Bennett.

## DIED IN CLEVELAND

E. J. Fenn, formerly of this city, but who has recently been living at Cleveland, died Tuesday evening. He is the father of Mrs. Jessie Lowe of this city.

## NOT BADLY HURT WHEN AUTO HITS

Pauline, the six-year-old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Charlton, was struck by a passing automobile while crossing the street Monday afternoon near her home on South Vine street and was thrown to the pavement. Her head was slightly bruised.

No blame attaches to the lady who was driving the car as the child dashed forward unexpectedly when the machine was opposite her. The driver swerved the car suddenly but the rear wheel struck the child throwing her to the ground. She was more frightened than hurt.

## OLD SHOWMAN DIES

Mike Kennedy, familiarly known by many here as "Uncle Mike", died last Friday at Fremont of blood poison following two operations. He was buried Monday at Cincinnati, his old home.

Mr. Kennedy, who will be remembered as the ticket man and manager of the Newton-Livingston show, which appeared here recently, was 65 years old. He was formerly connected with Minnell Brothers show and had visited Medina with that organization every season for the past 17 years. He is survived by two nieces in Cincinnati.

"Uncle Mike" was a good fellow of the easy-going type. Pleasant, obliging and a smiler, he made many friends who regret his passing.